

10/591204

PATENT
450100-05490

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Sakae OKAZAKI et al. **IAP5 Rec'd PCT/PTO 31 AUG 2006**
International Application No.: PCT/JP05/01391
International Filing Date: February 1, 2005
For: AUTOFOCUS-CONTROL DEVICE AND AUTOFOCUS-
CONTROL METHOD, RECORDING MEDIUM, AND
PROGRAM

745 Fifth Avenue
New York, NY 10151

EXPRESS MAIL

Mailing Label Number: EV 895513574 US

Date of Deposit: August 31, 2006

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Barnet Shindh
(Typed or printed name of person mailing paper or fee)
Barnet Shindh
(Signature of person mailing paper or fee)

CLAIM OF PRIORITY

Mail Stop PCT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 119, this application is entitled to a claim of priority to
Application No. 2004-057298 filed in Japan on March 2, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

FROMMER LAWRENCE & HAUG LLP
Attorneys for Applicants

By: William S. Frommer
William S. Frommer
Reg. No. 25,506
Tel. (212) 588-0800